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My dear Mr Garrison

Col. Forbes has been urging me for some days to send a letter which he has written you, in relation to his & Treadwell's Kansas Committee in Boston. I know so well your relations to that horde, & so well also how many claims of old facts are made upon you that I cannot reluctantly say a word to you

bound to do something to relieve his necessities.
And if you can bring any direct influence to bear
upon them or any others who would feel disposed
to aid it, I hope you will. It seems
to me that he having gone out by ^ Act
under an engagement made by ^ the authorized
agent of this Committee, they are
bound to give him some remuneration
whether he can show any legal claim

to you about ye matter. But
it is hard to censure a man,
intended as he is, & who has
done as it seems to me,
no unnecessary deed
with, so much innocent.
It may be that when
time & patience, Laurence,
have, & thus I know that
you & your friends are
cognisant of & are talking
about this affair. What-
they will, in my stance,
acknowledge that, if not
for my sake & Fanny's, then
for charity's sake. They are

he has been in y country, made